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Dear Sir:

It is respectfully submitted that the Examiner enters the following amendments in response to the Office Action dated 14 November 2004, a response to which is due on 14 October 2004.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begin on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 11 of this paper.

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